Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to honor remarkable Show-Me State couples who have experienced the good fortune of success in marriage, a most delightful task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

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Whereas, the union of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Price "Jake" Jacobs, residents of Columbia, Missouri, is characterized by their enduring affection and serves as a glorious illustration of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, Jake and Lu Jacobs will commemorate the joyous occasion of their Sixty-first Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on February 2, 2008, at the Columbia Area Senior Center, in Columbia, Missouri; and

Whereas, as they proudly mark this splendid milestone in their life, Jake and Lu Jacobs will undoubtedly look back with satisfaction upon all that has transpired since they pledged their eternal love to one another and began their long, joyful walk down life's path; and

Whereas, it was sixty-one wondrous years ago that Jake Jacobs and Lucille Self joined their hands, their hearts, and their lives together in a solemn nuptial ceremony on December 28, 1946, at the First Baptist Church in Columbia; and

Whereas, over the course of the past sixty-one years, Jake and Lu Jacobs have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include two children and their spouses, Delton and Janice Jacobs and Debbie and Ed Brown; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, Jake and Lu Jacobs have distinguished themselves as a remarkable couple, whose sixty-one years of shared joy and contentment so beautifully illustrate the strength, grace, and splendor of the lasting marriage bond:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jake and Lu Jacobs upon the joyous occasion of their Sixty-first Wedding Anniversary and in further wishing them continued happiness in the years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Everett Price "Jake" Jacobs.

Offered by	
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